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COLD STORAGE REPORT
AS OF MAY 1, 1944

The cold storage situation on May 1, 1944 as interpreted from reports from cold storage warehouses and meat packing plants to the War Food Administration, was as follows: The over-all inventories quoted herein include both commercial, set-aside and Government held stocks. Net withdrawals were much heavier than normal for frozen fruits and vegetables, creamery butter, frozen poultry, frozen and cured beef, lamb and mutton and frozen and cured trimmings. Pork stocks were reduced at a less than normal rate. Accumulations during April were noted for shell eggs, frozen eggs, cheese and lard and rendered pork fat.

The reductions in frozen fruit holdings during April were about 19 percent from the April 1 figures, and the same for frozen vegetables. Creamery butter stocks were reduced by about 15 percent, poultry by 23 percent, frozen and cured beef 4 percent, lamb and mutton by 23 percent and trimmings and offal by about 6 percent.

The increases were, shell eggs 57 percent, frozen eggs 47 percent, cheese 1.5 percent, and lard and rendered pork fat 15 percent.

All items with the exception of apples were appreciably higher than they were both a year earlier and the 5-year average for May 1. Frozen fruits and vegetables together were 75.2 million pounds heavier than May 1, 1943 and 97.1 millions heavier than the 5-year average. Butter holdings were 39.3 million pounds above those of a year earlier and 36.4 millions above average, cheese stocks 73.1 and 42.5 million pounds respectively for a year ago and average, shell eggs 0.8 and 2.9 thousand cases, frozen eggs 45.8 and 98.1 million pounds, frozen poultry 97.5 and 52.6 million pounds, frozen and cured meats 500.9 and 437.7 million pounds and lard and rendered pork fat 348.5 million pounds greater than a year ago and 297.9 million pounds above the average.

An analysis of the space situation permits of the following - freezer stocks were reduced by approximately 73 million pounds which is reflected in public freezer occupancy of 85 percent for May 1 as compared with 88 percent on April 1. Conversely, cooler commodities increased during the month by approximately 39 million pounds and cooler occupancy in the public warehouses was indicated as 82 percent compared with 80 percent a month earlier.

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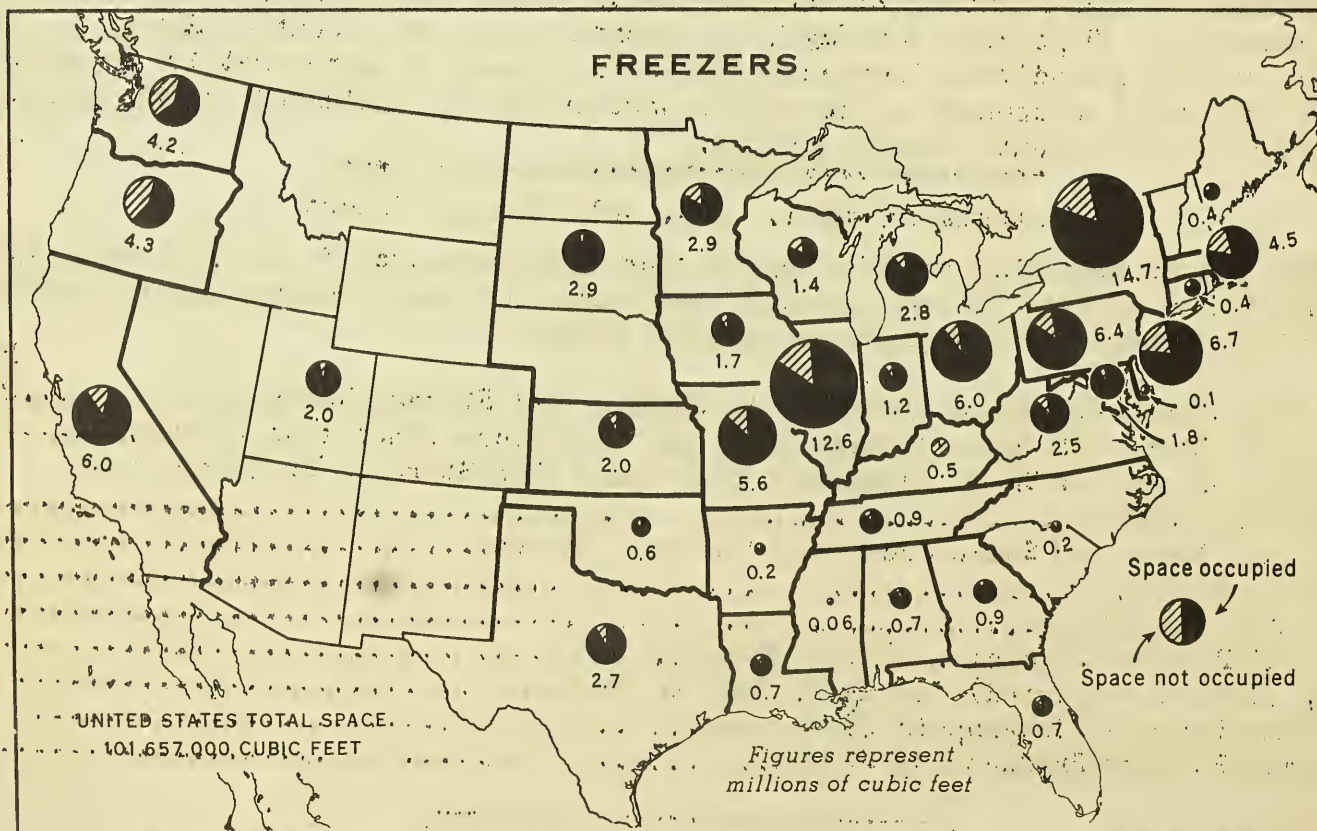
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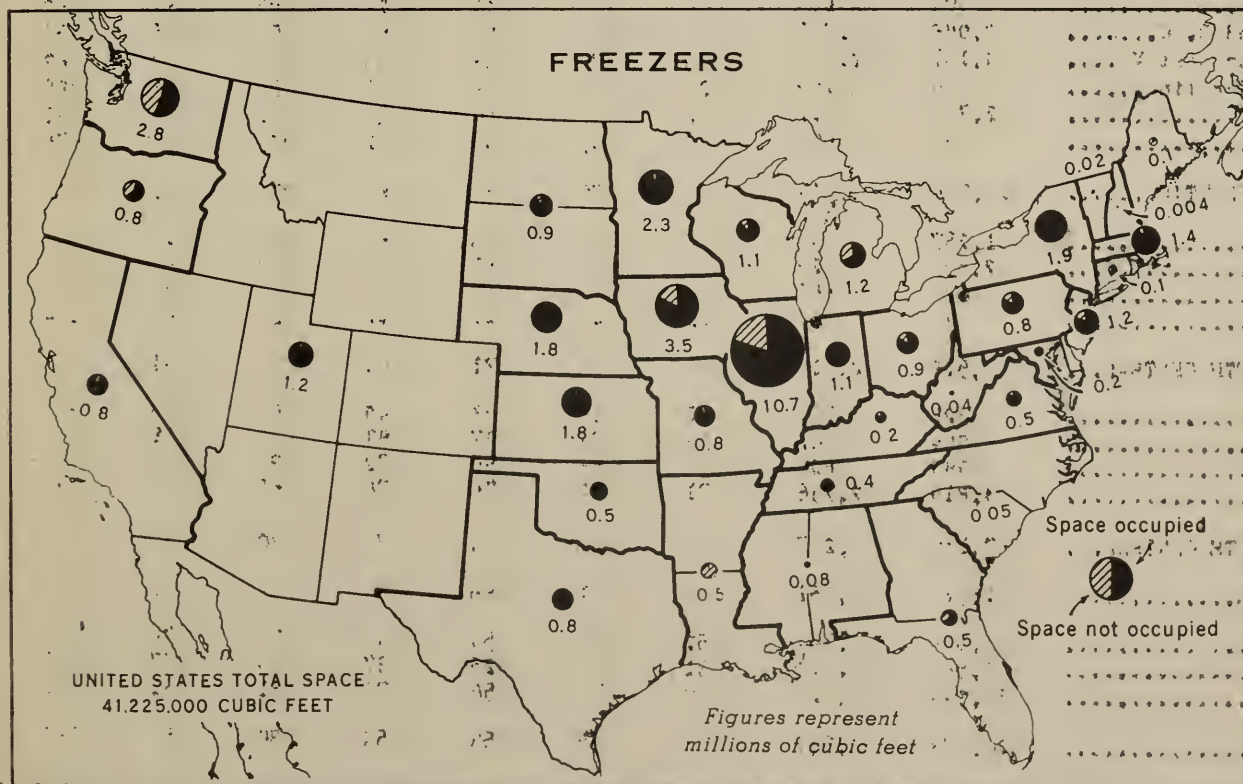
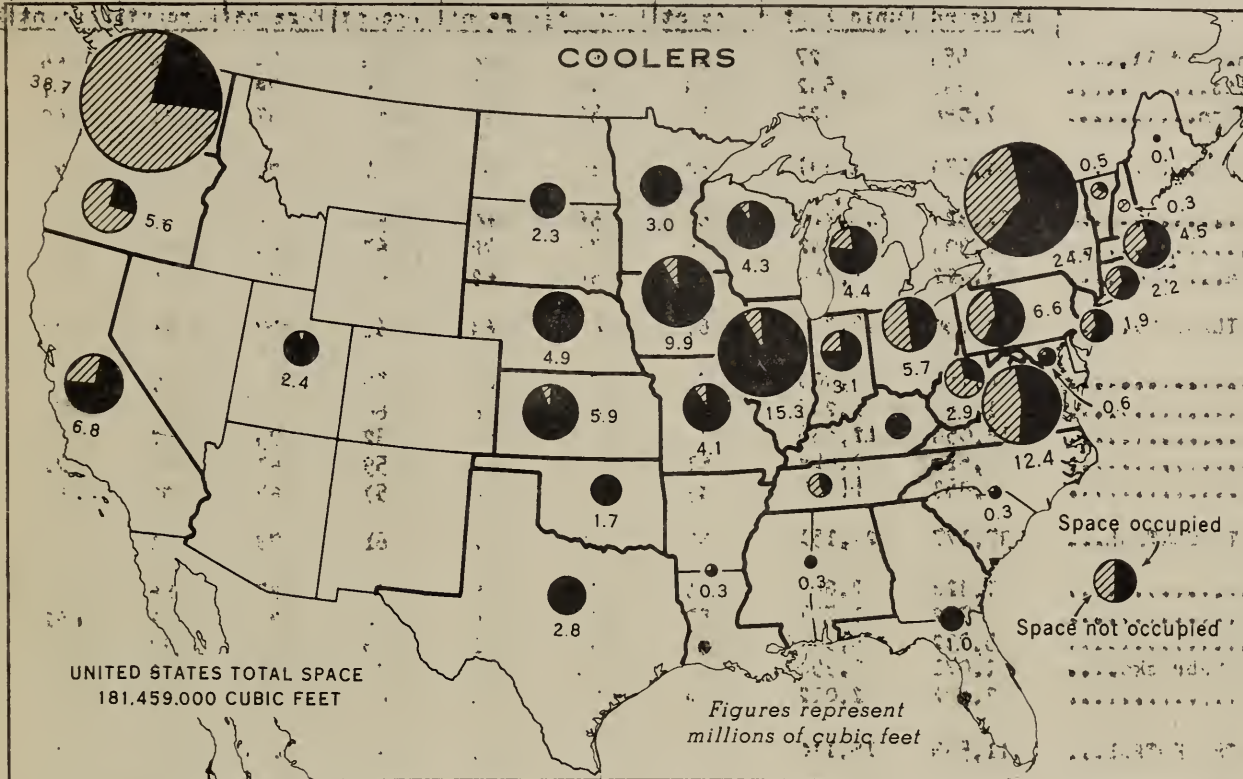
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MAY 1, 1944



NET PILING SPACE AND PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED IN COOLERS AND FREEZERS IN MEAT-PACKING PLANTS, PRIVATE, AND SEMI-PRIVATE, AND ALL APPLE HOUSES

MAY 1, 1944



**NET PILING SPACE AND PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED IN COOLERS
AND FREEZERS IN PUBLIC COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES OTHER THAN
APPLE HOUSES, ON APRIL 1, AND MAY 1, 1943 AND 1944**

State or Geographic Division	Net Piling Space 1/		Percentage of Space Occupied 2/							
	Cooler	Freezer	Apr. 1, 1943		May 1, 1943		Apr. 1, 1944		May 1, 1944 3/	
			Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	Thousand Cubic Feet		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Maine, N. H. and Vt.....	554	427	40	57	34	65	74	84	66	84
Massachusetts.....	2,939	4,542	64	48	59	46	78	81	81	81
R. I. and Conn.....	1,086	422	53	59	43	59	57	86	69	88
NEW ENGLAND.....	4,579	5,391	60	49	54	47	74	82	77	82
New York.....	22,324	14,728	58	56	60	58	76	86	78	84
New Jersey.....	8,304	6,742	76	73	78	67	84	83	86	80
Pennsylvania.....	9,422	6,364	54	56	62	60	75	88	77	88
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	40,050	27,834	61	60	64	61	77	86	79	84
Ohio.....	8,189	6,003	78	78	80	79	79	92	84	91
Indiana.....	1,465	1,245	62	62	68	68	86	94	91	93
Illinois.....	18,054	12,636	49	51	59	52	73	92	84	86
Michigan.....	4,616	2,828	51	59	54	59	81	86	72	90
Wisconsin.....	4,853	1,439	43	48	44	53	83	90	86	82
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	37,177	24,151	57	59	62	61	78	91	83	88
Minnesota.....	1,328	2,867	60	71	85	73	87	86	93	83
Iowa.....	772	1,707	57	70	76	72	88	93	92	92
Missouri.....	5,732	5,574	48	50	81	55	86	90	90	88
Dakotas and Nebraska...	1,071	2,950	88	85	93	76	90	95	93	95
Kansas.....	2,692	2,012	68	78	88	83	93	91	96	92
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	11,595	15,110	68	66	84	68	88	90	92	89
Delaware.....	404	138	31	30	42	29	57	65	82	60
Maryland and D. C.....	2,088	1,792	86	80	89	82	89	95	93	94
Virginia and West Va....	4,137	2,494	60	73	48	65	63	94	62	90
No. & So. Carolina.....	358	185	29	91	36	41	79	95	85	98
Georgia.....	2,767	911	62	65	60	54	92	96	91	94
Florida.....	992	693	43	45	48	62	78	84	76	85
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	10,746	6,213	61	70	56	68	74	92	75	91
Kentucky.....	1,257	540	47	59	65	56	98	--	98	--
Tennessee.....	2,509	929	61	70	67	66	90	86	94	88
Alabama.....	679	685	85	68	87	69	93	98	93	94
Mississippi.....	73	64	--	--	--	--	--	87	--	--
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	4,518	2,218	62	66	71	63	92	91	95	91
Arkansas.....	328	201	42	38	63	49	88	86	64	97
Louisiana.....	994	742	88	73	87	83	93	91	94	91
Oklahoma.....	989	608	45	68	58	72	90	80	96	83
Texas.....	4,819	2,736	71	72	76	78	89	87	94	92
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	7,130	4,287	69	66	74	77	90	87	93	91
MOUNTAIN.....	2,320	1,952	84	81	86	83	95	92	98	95
Washington.....	4,966	4,159	52	46	54	43	76	76	74	62
Oregon.....	2,563	4,317	31	38	25	37	84	77	90	59
California.....	13,344	6,025	60	74	58	73	81	91	72	87
PACIFIC.....	20,873	14,501	55	55	53	54	80	83	74	72
UNITED STATES.....	138,988	101,657	4/61	4/61	4/64	4/62	4/80	4/88	4/82	4/85

1/ Preliminary figures reported to the Department of Agriculture as of October 1, 1943.

2/ Percentages for the periods covered here were made as comparable as possible.

3/ Preliminary.

4/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic divisions using the corresponding net piling space as weights.

**NET PILING SPACE AND PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED
IN COOLERS AND FREEZERS IN PRIVATE AND SEMI-PRIVATE WAREHOUSES
OTHER THAN APPLE HOUSES AND IN MEAT-PACKING ESTABLISHMENTS ON MAY 1, 1944**

State or Geographic Division	Private and Semi-Private Warehouses Excluding Apple Houses				Meat Packing Establishments			
	Net Piling Space 1/		Percentage of Space Occupied		Net Piling Space 1/		Percentage of Space Occupied	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	Thousand Cubic Feet	Thousand Cubic Feet	Percent	Percent	Thousand Cubic Feet	Thousand Cubic Feet	Percent	Percent
NEW ENGLAND.....	481	938	78	81	2,176	776	97	100
New York.....	2,131	1,068	77	83	5,086	592	88	99
New Jersey.....	47	544	100	81	566	588	96	89
Pennsylvania.....	1,909	392	45	98	1,804	353	95	76
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....	4,087	2,004	76	84	7,456	1,533	91	86
Ohio.....	691	459	96	90	4,218	442	98	83
Indiana.....	201	207	100	100	2,419	910	100	100
Illinois.....	310	855	81	93	13,538	9,778	96	79
Michigan.....	1,311	828	79	55	1,988	414	100	100
Wisconsin.....	2,027	165	87	66	2,226	885	99	99
EAST NORTH CENTRAL...	4,540	2,514	87	80	24,389	12,429	95	81
Minnesota.....	132	651	94	100	2,871	1,678	99	94
Iowa.....	515	631	90	89	9,385	2,886	93	82
Missouri.....	46	68	93	-	2,974	757	100	99
No. & So. Dak. & Nebr...	489	531	93	93	6,754	2,148	100	96
Kansas.....	836	396	94	98	4,865	1,428	96	100
WEST NORTH CENTRAL...	2,018	2,277	93	95	26,849	8,897	96	92
Del. Md. Va. & W. Va....	55	267	100	82	735	171	93	100
NC., SC., Ga. & Fla.....	83	54	71	99	1,063	502	97	69
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....	138	321	98	97	1,798	673	95	74
Kentucky & Tennessee....	180	139	89	90	1,713	358	89	97
Alabama & Mississippi...	41	24	100	80	231	58	100	100
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL...	221	163	91	89	1,944	416	90	98
Ark., La. & Oklahoma....	46	542	-	-	1,680	530	100	100
Texas.....	330	80	100	100	2,390	757	98	96
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL...	376	622	100	100	4,070	1,287	99	98
Mont. Idaho Wyo. & Colo.	173	185	97	90	2,059	543	94	99
Ariz. Utah & Nevada.....	133	227	73	86	585	206	95	100
MOUNTAIN.....	306	412	85	87	2,644	749	94	99
Washington & Oregon.....	580	2,587	79	58	1,314	492	98	99
California.....	98	83	100	100	3,152	623	98	97
PACIFIC.....	678	2,670	82	59	4,466	1,115	98	98
UNITED STATES.....	12,845	11,921	2/ 84	2/ 81	75,793	27,875	2/ 95	2/ 87

1/ Preliminary figures reported to the Department of Agriculture as of October 1, 1943.

2/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic divisions using the corresponding net piling space as weights.

**NET PILING SPACE AND PERCENTAGE OF SPACE OCCUPIED
IN COOLERS AND FREEZERS IN ALL APPLE COLD STORAGE WAREHOUSES**

State or Geographic Division	Net Piling Space 1/		Percentage of Space Occupied	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	Thousand Cubic Feet		Percent	Percent
New Hampshire.....	268	-	-	-
Vermont.....	497	7	31	-
Massachusetts.....	2,289	-	1	-
Connecticut.....	1,816	6	46	100
New York.....	17,483	264	58	69
New Jersey.....	1,257	52	50	95
Pennsylvania.....	2,903	93	37	98
Ohio.....	786	1	50	-
Indiana.....	482	-	90	-
Illinois.....	1,470	41	63	84
Michigan.....	1,066	-	38	-
Missouri.....	1,124	2	79	100
Kansas.....	161	6	36	100
Del. Md. & Va.....	12,242	188	50	87
W. Va. & N. C.....	2,939	49	33	79
Ky. & Tenn.....	332	71	-	-
Ark. Okla. & Texas.....	340	15	79	-
Idaho & New Mexico.....	412	24	100	100
Washington.....	38,367	195	21	3
Oregon.....	5,422	8	18	-
California.....	3,588	120	42	68
UNITED STATES.....	94,809	1,577	2/ 37	2/44

1/ Preliminary figures reported to the Department of Agriculture as of October 1, 1943.

2/ Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic divisions using the corresponding net piling space as weights.

STATE	May 1, 1944				May 1, 1943
	Barrels	Boxes		Total Bushels	Total Bushels
		Western	Eastern		
		- Thousands -			
Massachusetts.....	-	-	45	45	70
New York.....	-	61	300	484	516
New Jersey.....	-	5	104	206	327
Pennsylvania.....	-	4	66	143	241
Illinois.....	-	26	19	163	225
Michigan.....	-	3	59	96	133
Missouri.....	-	8	1	24	67
Virginia.....	-	1	22	63	267
Washington.....	-	459	-	459	1,650
Oregon.....	-	8	-	8	86
California.....	-	293	-	293	483
Other States.....	-	145	46	268	558
UNITED STATES.....	-	1,013	662	2,252	4,623

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

May 1 cold storage stocks of apples were down to a total of 2.3 million bushels. This quantity is 2.4 million less than that on hand May 1, 1943 and 2.2 million bushels less than the May 1 5-year (1939-43) average.

Frozen fruit holdings were reduced during April by 30.8 million pounds to 130.9 millions on hand May 1. This latter quantity is 32 percent greater than the May 1, 1943 stocks and 50 percent above average.

Frozen vegetable withdrawals during April were 24.9 million pounds. The 105.4 million pounds on hand on May 1 exceeded stocks of a year earlier by 70 percent and the 5-year average by 102.1 percent. The out-of-storage movement of both frozen fruits and vegetables was greatly in excess of both the April 1943 movement and the 5-year average.

(See table on page 10 for May 1, 1944 holdings by geographic divisions)

Commodity	May 1 5-yr. av. 1939-1943	May 1 1943	April 1 1944	May 1 1944
- Thousands -				
FRUITS, FRESH				
Apples.....barrels.....	9	4	2	-
Apples.....Western boxes..	2,477	2,675	2,849	1,013
Apples.....Eastern boxes..	1/	1,010	1,451	662
Apples.....bushel basket..	1,985	926	1,130	577
Total Apples.....bushels.....	4,489	4,623	5,436	2,252
Pears, Bartletts.....packed boxes...	3	7	4	1
Pears, Bartletts.....loose boxes....	1	4	3	3
Pears, all other varieties.bboxes.....	60	79	93	14
Pears.....bushel baskets.	2	-	2	-
Total Pears.....bushels.....	66	90	102	18
FRUITS, FROZEN				
Blackberries.....pounds.....	2,650	3,587	4,961	3,788
Blueberries.....".....	4,555	5,333	11,102	9,561
Cherries.....".....	13,409	12,363	11,368	8,900
Logan and Similar berries.. ".....	1,964	2,022	2,914	2,315
Raspberries.....".....	7,590	8,884	11,559	9,017
Strawberries.....".....	21,203	15,446	13,980	11,477
Other fruits.....".....	19,682	35,495	83,075	64,341
Classification not reported ".....	15,935	15,837	22,684	21,456
Total.....".....	86,988	98,967	161,643	130,855
VEGETABLES, FROZEN				
Asparagus.....pounds.....	4,296	3,926	3,157	2,639
Beans, lima.....".....	9,276	8,838	6,954	4,800
Beans, snap.....".....	3,459	2,308	10,631	8,344
Broccoli, green.....".....	1,340	1,113	3,342	3,149
Corn, sweet.....".....	4,200	3,123	10,521	8,060
Peas, green.....".....	15,379	16,025	28,051	20,970
Spinach.....".....	4,492	6,539	9,746	8,576
Other vegetables.....".....	4,974	10,506	26,000	23,435
Classification not reported ".....	4,725	9,698	31,913	25,444
Total.....".....	52,141	62,076	130,315	105,417

1/ Previously included with "bushel baskets".

DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

Creamery butter stocks showed a net reduction from April 1, 1944 of 12.6 million pounds. May 1 holdings which totaled 69.5 millions and included 9.5 million pounds held by Dairy Products Marketing Association and 18.9 million pounds by War Food Administration, were 39.3 million pounds greater than those of a year earlier and 36.4 million pounds greater than the May 1 (1939-43) 5-year average.

Total cheese stocks were increased during the month by 2.3 million pounds. The 152.5 million pounds reported on hand on May 1, 1944 included 31.1 million pounds held by DPMA and 20.2 millions by WFA. The total was 73.1 million pounds in excess of the May 1, 1943 holdings and 42.5 million pounds above the 5-year average for May 1.

The shell egg into-storage movement was 2,534,000 cases for the month. During April, 1943, 2,960,000 cases were put away and the average accumulation for April was 2,496,000 cases. May 1, 1944 holdings were 6,987,000 cases. May 1, 1943 they were 6,141,000 and the May 1 5-year average 4,102,000 cases. Stocks of frozen eggs were increased by 69.5 million pounds. May 1 stocks totaling 218.1 million pounds were 45.8 million pounds heavier than those of a year earlier and 98.1 million above average. Frozen poultry holdings were reduced during the month by 38.5 million pounds. This was a much heavier than normal movement. May 1 stocks totaled 130 million pounds or 97.5 million pounds above those of a year ago at this date and 52.6 million pounds above average.

(See tables on pages 10 and 11 for May 1, 1944 holdings by geographic divisions)

Commodity	May 1 5-yr. av. 1939-43	May 1 1943	April 1 1944	May 1 1944
- Thousands -				
CREAM.....40-qt. cans....	110	162	213	239
BUTTER				
Creamery, total.....pounds.....	33,125	30,190	62,118	69,533
DPMA holdings....."	14,731	12,000	26,436	9,547
WFA holdings....."	3,547	5,300	25,494	18,878
*Other stocks....."	14,847	12,890	30,288	41,108
CHEESE				
American, total.....pounds.....	94,262	65,843	121,869	123,364
DPMA holdings....."	-	8,300	18,710	31,090
WFA holdings....."	-	13,600	28,209	20,246
*Other stocks....."	76,452	43,943	74,950	72,028
Swiss including block....."	3,200	1,287	572	548
Brick and Munster....."	702	379	194	231
Limburger....."	464	107	84	118
All other varieties....."	11,418	11,848	27,479	28,278
TOTAL CHEESE....."	110,046	79,464	150,198	152,539
EGGS				
Shell, total.....cases.....	4,102	6,141	4,453	** 6,987
Frozen, total.....pounds.....	119,943	172,279	148,557	218,077
Frozen 1/.....equivalent cases.....	3,198	4,594	3,962	5,815
TOTAL EGGS 2/.....cases.....	7,300	10,735	8,415	12,802
FROZEN POULTRY				
Broilers.....pounds.....	4,430	1,681	9,182	6,437
Fryers....."	4,557	1,974	12,949	9,093
Roasters....."	12,783	4,658	28,647	20,813
Fowls....."	13,070	6,412	45,775	34,963
Turkeys....."	28,922	11,378	36,567	30,367
Ducks....."	1,098	393	1,127	1,172
Miscellaneous poultry....."	12,571	3,928	20,295	16,190
Unclassified poultry....."	-	2,089	13,936	10,953
TOTAL FROZEN POULTRY....."	77,431	32,513	168,478	129,988

* Includes stocks which may be set aside for future delivery to government agencies, stocks held for Army and Navy and some commercially held on which no specific information is available.

** Includes 317,000 cases held by WFA.

1/ Frozen eggs are converted on the basis of 37.5 pounds to the case.

2/ SPECIAL NOTE: 77 percent of total frozen eggs reported as of May 1, 1944 were classified as follows:
whites 18 percent; yolks 11 percent; and mixed 71 percent.

MEATS AND LARD

Stocks of all frozen and cured meats were reduced by a net of 36 million pounds during April. Beef holdings were down by 11.7 millions and pork by 10.5 millions, lamb and mutton by 5 millions and trimmings and offal by 8.8 million pounds.

Beef stocks on hand May 1, 1944 totaled 282.3 million pounds. This quantity is 189.3 million pounds heavier than the May 1, 1943 holdings and 201.4 million heavier than the 5-year (1939-43) May 1 average. Pork stocks were 781.4 million pounds or 257.3 million pounds above those of a year earlier and 175 million above average.

Lamb and mutton holdings totaled 16.7 million pounds - 5 million heavier than a year ago and 10.9 million pounds above average. There were 135.1 million pounds of frozen and cured trimmings and edible offal reported as on hand May 1. This quantity exceeds that of a year earlier by 49.2 million and the 5 year average by 50.4 million pounds.

Accumulation of lard and rendered pork fat during April was 65.3 million pounds. May 1, 1944 stocks which totaled 497.6 million pounds were in excess of those of a year earlier by 348.5 million and the 5-year (1939-43) average by 297.9 million pounds. As indicated in the foot note below, included in the total stock figures are 54.7 million pounds of cured pork stocks and 362.6 million pounds of lard and rendered pork fat owned by WFA held in storage outside of processors hands.

(See table on page 11 for May 1, 1944 holdings by geographic divisions)

Commodity	May 1 5-yr. av. 1939-43	May 1 1943	April 1 1944	May 1 1944
- Thousand pounds -				
BEEF				
Frozen.....	66,317	83,065	283,702	272,302
In cure and cured.....	14,546	9,916	10,269	9,989
* Total Beef.....	80,863	92,981	293,971	282,291
PORK				
Frozen.....	279,324	224,523	372,295	376,248
Dry salt in cure and cured....	96,742	117,056	206,178	1/ 193,267
Pickled in cure and cured.....	230,312	182,470	213,394	1/ 211,877
Total Pork.....	606,378	524,049	791,867	1/ 781,392
LAMB AND MUTTON				
Frozen.....	5,802	11,649	21,659	16,671
TRIMMINGS AND EDIBLE OFFAL				
Frozen and cured.....	84,728	85,933	143,973	135,147
TOTAL MEATS.....	777,771	714,612	1,251,470	1/ 1,215,501
LARD.....	199,742	141,579	403,151	1/ 466,270
RENDERED PORK FAT.....	2/	7,562	29,188	1/ 31,371

1/ Included in the above figures are 54,725,000 pounds of cured pork cuts and 362,624,000 pounds of lard and rendered pork fat held by WFA in storage outside of processors hands.

2/ Previously included with lard.

(5/15/1944)

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS, MAY 1, 1944 BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East		West		South Atlantic		East		West		Mountain	Pacific	Total
			North Central	Central	North Central	Central	North Central	Central	North Central	Central	North Central	Central			
- Thousands -															
FRUITS, FRESH															
Apples.....barrels.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Apples.....Western boxes.....	-	71	57	9	97	8	1,013	-	-	-	-	-	2	760	1,013
Apples.....Eastern boxes.....	58	470	107	1	24	2	662	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	662
Apples.....bushel baskets.....	-	293	202	23	50	8	577	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	577
Pears, Bartletts.....packed boxes.....	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Pears, Bartletts.....loose boxes.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3
Pears, all other varieties.....boxes.....	-	3	4	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	14
Pears.....bushel baskets.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FRUITS, FROZEN															
Blackberries.....pounds.....	44	628	571	359	353	88	3,785	-	-	-	-	-	134	1,510	3,785
Blueberries....."	1,190	3,818	3,404	705	275	13	9,561	-	-	-	-	-	54	78	9,561
Cherries....."	265	3,524	3,151	404	241	102	8,900	-	-	-	-	-	445	645	8,900
Young Logan and similar berries....."	31	205	674	160	102	13	2,315	-	-	-	-	-	4	1,072	2,315
Raspberries....."	1,059	3,355	2,821	511	158	74	9,017	-	-	-	-	-	35	851	9,017
Strawberries....."	988	3,239	3,075	690	1,036	249	11,477	-	-	-	-	-	127	1,213	11,477
Other fruits....."	2,796	31,182	22,224	4,903	4,083	1,662	85,797	-	-	-	-	-	2,922	12,935	85,797
DAIRY PRODUCTS															
Cream.....40-qt. cans.....	8	112	24	24	37	1	239	-	-	-	-	-	1	31	239
Butter, creamery.....pounds.....	1,414	18,034	23,508	13,618	481	383	69,533	-	-	-	-	-	3,010	8,009	69,533
Cheese, American.....pounds.....	1,034	28,487	64,767	8,848	2,503	2,230	123,364	-	-	-	-	-	2,555	9,592	123,364
Cheese, Swiss including block....."	-	84	355	27	9	3	548	-	-	-	-	-	1	66	548
Cheese, brick and Munster....."	-	-	216	8	7	-	231	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	231
Cheese, Limburger....."	-	51	64	1	-	-	118	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	118
Cheese, all other varieties....."	223	9,891	7,124	2,325	84	5,017	28,278	-	-	-	-	-	411	2,363	28,278
Eggs, shell.....cases.....	253	1,276	1,941	1,085	320	249	6,987	-	-	-	-	-	167	1,125	6,987
Eggs, frozen.....pounds.....	6,173	29,196	44,458	85,816	5,199	7,213	218,077	-	-	-	-	-	2,052	14,403	218,077

COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS, MAY 1, 1944 BY GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS (CONT'D)

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
-- Thousands --										
<u>FROZEN POULTRY</u>										
Broilers.....pounds.....	504	1,656	2,203	1,354	370	38	24	58	230	6,437
Fryers....."	276	2,634	3,254	1,998	478	70	137	79	167	9,093
Roasters....."	2,409	8,118	6,012	3,553	97	26	83	37	478	20,813
Fowls....."	1,888	11,531	11,375	6,559	552	196	710	151	1,901	34,963
Turkeys....."	993	3,669	5,634	8,168	313	57	516	1,893	8,124	30,367
Ducks....."	90	763	234	18	42	-	4	-	21	1,172
Miscellaneous poultry....."	659	3,765	7,456	2,037	318	681	706	50	518	15,190
Unclassified poultry....."	172	1,621	1,153	2,561	343	328	467	613	3,695	10,353
<u>MEATS AND LARD</u>										
Beef, frozen.....pounds.....	13,928	71,734	65,801	63,972	8,193	3,005	12,252	7,738	25,679	272,302
Beef, in cure and cured....."	96	1,054	4,500	3,054	294	124	564	110	193	9,989
Pork frozen.....pounds.....	15,208	44,016	108,099	138,734	18,583	8,303	14,188	8,060	21,057	376,248
Pork, dry salt in cure and cured....."	2,775	6,512	78,238	67,255	13,507	2,319	7,088	1,485	14,088	193,267
Pork, pickled in cure and cured....."	6,214	15,724	71,150	87,371	9,466	3,087	8,272	3,972	6,621	211,877
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....pounds.....	2,053	4,218	3,786	2,749	449	91	2,036	147	1,142	16,671
Frozen and cured trimmings and edible offal.....pounds.....	6,157	20,413	47,764	41,852	6,045	2,489	3,389	1,921	5,117	135,147
Lard.....pounds.....	11,887	168,216	143,130	67,758	42,325	7,294	7,429	3,617	14,614	466,270
Rendered pork fat.....pounds.....	1,051	1,653	15,153	9,091	514	152	1,168	556	2,033	31,371

DAIRY AND POULTRY HOLDINGS BY STATES

STATE	Cream (40-qt. cans)	Butter lbs.	American Cheese lbs.	Shell Eggs cases	Frozen Eggs lbs.	Total Poultry lbs.
- Thousands -						
Massachusetts.....	8	1,060	958	145	3,932	6,018
Other States.....		354	76	108	2,241	973
NEW ENGLAND.....		1,414	1,034	253	6,173	6,991
New York.....	77	8,479	12,268	579	12,565	21,100
New Jersey.....	17	4,895	10,078	341	7,420	8,651
Pennsylvania.....	18	4,660	6,141	356	9,211	4,106
MIDDLE ATLANTIC.....		18,034	28,487	1,276	29,196	33,857
Ohio.....	5	2,379	3,683	236	6,791	4,783
Indiana.....		790	156	83	3,130	517
Illinois.....	1	15,739	5,680	1,279	27,845	29,422
Michigan.....	6	3,433	2,113	251	4,583	2,223
Wisconsin.....	11	1,167	53,135	92	2,109	1,376
EAST NORTH CENTRAL.....		23,508	64,767	1,941	44,458	38,321
Minnesota.....	7	5,345	812	190	12,491	3,243
Iowa.....	6	3,019	5	129	11,300	1,722
Missouri.....	11	2,026	6,572	352	29,032	6,594
Nebraska.....		1,633	287	98	18,498	10,506
Kansas.....		998	1,172	316	13,188	4,127
Dakotas.....		597	-	-	1,307	56
WEST NORTH CENTRAL.....		13,618	8,848	1,085	85,816	26,248
SOUTH ATLANTIC.....		481	2,503	320	5,199	2,513
Kentucky.....		10	68	76	840	470
Tennessee.....		363	2,067	158	5,594	572
Alabama & Mississippi.....		10	95	15	779	354
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL.....		383	2,230	249	7,213	1,396
Oklahoma.....		115	840	62	4,578	157
Texas.....		621	2,336	451	16,534	2,023
Arkansas & Louisiana.....		340	172	58	2,455	467
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL.....		1,076	3,348	571	23,567	2,647
Colorado.....		464	399	51	1,180	818
Other States.....		2,546	2,156	116	872	2,063
MOUNTAIN.....		3,010	2,555	167	2,052	2,881
Washington.....		1,745	1,332	263	3,540	4,929
Oregon.....		707	2,477	155	1,387	3,533
California.....	31	5,557	5,783	707	9,476	6,672
PACIFIC.....		8,009	9,592	1,125	14,403	15,134
Other States..... (combined for cream only)....	41					
UNITED STATES.....	239	69,533	123,364	6,987	218,077	129,988